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Security Council

10 a.m. . . 6363rd meeting . . . Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question[1]

[1] Speakers are kindly requested to limit their statement to *no more than five minutes*.

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities

Afternoon[1] –6 p.m. . . Informal meeting (closed) . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the informal briefing of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism (see page 4).

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly
(20–22 September 2010)

The list of participants of the round tables will be open for the inscription by Member States on Thursday, 22 July 2010 (see page 8).

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General Assembly

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on the Arms Trade Treaty

First session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 1 (NL

3–6 p.m. 9th meeting Conference Room 1 (NL

Recommendations on the elements that would be needed to attain an effective and balanced legally binding instrument on the highest possible common international standards for the transfer of conventional arms in accordance with operative paragrap 7 of the General Assembly resolution 64/48

[The list of side events on the occasion of the first session of the Preparatory Committee can be consu at <www.un.org/disarmament/convarms/ATTPrepCom/SideEvents.html>.]

[The Preparatory Committee adopted the draft decision on the modalities of attendance of non-governmental organizations at the sessions of the Preparatory Committee, as contained in document A/CONF.217/PC/L.2. Further information can be found at the following address: <www.un.org/disarmament/convarms/ATTPrepCom/index.htm>.]

[Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary, Mr. Timur Alasaniya (room 1N-611; fax 1 (212) 963-5305 — c/o Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted e-mail. Lists of delegations can also be delivered to the office of the Disarmament and Peace Affair Branch in the North Lawn Building (NL-1033D).]

Independent Audit Advisory Committee

Eleventh session

9.30 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NL

2.30–5.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 5 (NL

United Nations Board of Auditors

Sixty-fourth session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NL

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2010

General segment

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 43rd meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NL

Economic and environmental questions (A/64/803–E/2010/91) [

(a) Sustainable development (E/2010/29 (Supp. No. 9), E/2010/33 (Supp. No. 13), A/65/73–E/2010/51, E/2010/NGO/2 and E/2010/NGO/29)

(c) Statistics (E/2010/24 (Supp. No. 4))

(d) Human settlements (E/2010/72)

(e) Environment (A/65/25 (Supp. No. 25), E/2010/79 and E/2010/84)

(f) Population and development (E/2010/25 (Supp. No. 5))

(g) Public administration and development (E/2010/44 (Supp. No. 24))

(h) International cooperation in tax matters (E/2009/45 (Supp. No. 25))

(i) Assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions

(j) Cartography (E/CONF.99/3 and E/CONF.100/9)

Introduction and general discussion

Action on recommendations contained in the reports of the subsidiary bodies

Introduction of draft resolutions E/2010/L.10 and E/2010/L.24

Action on draft decisions E/2010/L.23, E/2010/L.25 and E/2010/L.29

3–6 p.m. 44th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Continuation of consideration of agenda item 13 and sub-items (a) and (c) to (j)

[The list of side events on the occasion of the 2010 substantive session of the Council is available at <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf10/10_side_events.pdf>.]

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

Forty-sixth session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 937th meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

3–5 p.m. 938th meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 18 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women [4]

Introduction of the sixth periodic report of Turkey (CEDAW/C/TUR/6)

Working Group of the Whole

5–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 4 (NLB)

General Assembly

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly

There will be an informal "informal" meeting of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly *today*, 21 July 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2091) concerning counter-terrorism
Informal briefing

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, H.E. Mr. Ertuğrul Apakan (Turkey), and the Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), Mr. Mike Smith, will hold an informal briefing to interested Member States on recent developments in the work of the Counter-Terrorism Committee and CTED. Following the briefing, CTED will hold presentations on the themes "Terrorist financing: Links with transnational organized crime and new payment technologies" and "Facilitation of technical assistance and capacity-building of Member States", pursuant to Security Council resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism. The briefing will take place *today*, 21 July 2010, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Central African Republic configuration

An informal meeting of the Central African Republic configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held *today*, 21 July 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council
Substantive session of 2010

Informal consultations

There will be informal consultations, convened by the facilitator, Ms. Katy Lin (Australia), on the draft resolution entitled "Review of United Nations support for small island developing States", *today*, 21 July 2010, at 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB); and *tomorrow*, 22 July, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

There will be informal consultations, convened by the Permanent Missions of Latvia and Zambia, on the draft resolution entitled "Mainstreaming a gender perspective into all policies and programmes in the United Nations system" *today*, 21 July 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Informal "informal" consultations

There will be informal "informal" consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Md. Nojibur Rahman (Bangladesh), on the draft resolution on the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 on *today*, 21 July 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

There will be informal "informal" consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Noel González Segura (Mexico), on the draft resolution on financing for development, under agenda item 6 (a), *today*, 21 July 2010, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

There will be informal "informal" consultations, convened by the facilitator, Ms. Namira Negm (Egypt), on the draft resolution on international cooperation on tax matters *today*, 21 July 2010, from 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Informal meetings of the General Assembly

Wednesday, 21 July 2010

Informal "informal" meeting on a United Nations global plan of action on preventing trafficking in persons, prosecuting traffickers and protecting and assisting victims of trafficking

10 a.m. . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

3 p.m. . . . . General Assembly Hall

Informal "informal" meeting on the preparation of the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals

3 p.m. . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Informal meeting of the plenary on the political declaration to be adopted at the high-level review of progress made in addressing the vulnerabilities of small island developing States through the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy

3 p.m. . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Other meetings

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Wednesday, 21 July 2010

JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee experts) (on the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council)

8.45–9.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

Group of 77 (on Third Committee matters)

9–11 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals)

9.30 a.m.–2 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room C (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the political declaration to be adopted at the high-level review of progress made in addressing the vulnerabilities of small island developing States through the implementation of the Mauritius Strategy)

11 a.m.–12 noon Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council)

12 noon–2.30 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room A (NLB)

Non-Aligned Movement: Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly

10–11 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>

Wednesday, 21 July 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Mr. Mark Bowden, United Nations Humanitarian and Resident Coordinator for Somalia (on the situation in Somalia)]

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 22 July 2010

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2010

General segment

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 45th meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Social and human rights questions [14]

(b) Social development (E/2010/26, E/2010/NGO/17, E/2010/NGO/41 and E/2010/NGO/52)

(c) Crime prevention and criminal justice (E/2010/30, E/2009/30/Add.1 and E/2010/10)

(d) Narcotic drugs (E/2010/28, E/2009/28/Add.1 and E/INCB/2009/1)

(e) United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (E/2010/86, E/2010/87, E/2010/94, E/2010/95 and E/2010/96)

(f) Comprehensive implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action

(g) Human Rights (E/2010/22 (and programme budget implications contained in E/2010/L.16), E/2010/89, A/65/41 and E/2010/NGO/19)

(h) Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues (E/2010/43 (Supp. No. 23))

Introductory statements and general discussion

Introduction of draft resolution E/2010/L.18

Action on recommendations contained in the reports of the subsidiary bodies

3–6 p.m. **46th meeting** Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

1. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [1]

Elections:

International Narcotics Control Board (E/2010/9/Add.15, E/2010/9/Add.16, E/2010/9/Add.17 and E/2010/9/Add.18[1])

2. Social and human rights questions [14]

(b) Social development (E/2010/26, E/2010/NGO/17, E/2010/NGO/41 and E/2010/NGO/52)

(c) Crime prevention and criminal justice (E/2010/30, E/2009/30/Add.1 and E/2010/10)

(d) Narcotic drugs (E/2010/28, E/2009/28/Add.1 and E/INCB/2009/1)

(e) United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (E/2010/86, E/2010/87, E/2010/94, E/2010/95 and E/2010/96)

(f) Comprehensive implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action

(g) Human Rights (E/2010/22 (and programme budget implications contained in E/2010/L.16), E/2010/89, A/65/41 and E/2010/NGO/19)

(h) Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues E/2010/43 (Supp. No. 23))

Action on draft resolution E/2010/L.18

Action on recommendations contained in the reports of the subsidiary bodies

[1] To be issued.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly

(20–22 September 2010)

All delegations wishing to participate in the round tables are kindly requested to inscribe with the List of Speakers, *in writing*, by facsimile (1 (212) 963-3783) or e-mail (muturi*a*un.org and heddachem*a*un.org), indicating the name and the level of the participant. Inscription, on a first-come, first-served basis, will be open *as of Thursday, 22 July 2010*.

As stipulated in resolution 64/184 of 21 December 2009 (A/RES/64/184), the six round tables will be held as follows:

Monday, 20 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 1 — Addressing the challenge of poverty, hunger and gender equality

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 2 — Meeting the goals of health and education

Tuesday, 21 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 3 — Promoting sustainable development

From 3 to 6 p.m.

Round table 4 — Addressing emerging issues and evolving approaches

Wednesday, 22 September:

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Round table 5 — Addressing the special needs of the most vulnerable

From 2 to 5 p.m.

Round table 6 — Widening and strengthening partnerships

For each regional group, the distribution of its members for participation in each round-table session will be as follows:

(a) African States: ten Member States

(b) Asian States: ten Member States

(c) Eastern European States: five Member States

(d) Latin American and Caribbean States: seven Member States

(e) Western European and other States: six Member States

Each delegation may only participate in one round table and thus may wish to indicate three preferences when inscribing on the list.

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2010
(28 June–23 July 2010)

List of speakers

The lists of speakers for all segments have been indicated below. If no specific reference is made to a list of speakers, it implies that no such list is being maintained. The deadlines for inscription are indicated in the relevant paragraphs below. In order to accommodate all the participants, statements during the general debate of the high-level segment and during all other segments will be limited to *five minutes*, with the understanding that the full texts of the statements can be circulated in the meeting room. Requests for inscription on the lists of speakers should be sent, *in writing*, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Conclusion of work
(Friday, 23 July)

The Council will conclude the work of its substantive session of 2010 on Friday, 23 July.

List of participants

Delegations should send, *in writing*, the names and titles of the members of their delegations (please indicate clearly the head and alternate head of delegation) as they would like them to appear in the official list of participants. Please send this composition of delegation to the secretariat of the Council (room IN-622), or by fax (1 (212) 963-5935), *as soon as possible*. The list of participants will be issued as part of the official documents of the session.

Statements

In order to facilitate interpretation, delegations are kindly requested to provide 30 copies of their statements to the Conference Officers. Delegations wishing to have the full text of statements circulated should provide 250 copies of the same to the Conference Officers.

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Briefing

The Executive Board of UNICEF will hold an informal briefing on the report on "Progress made in human resources management in UNICEF" on Tuesday, 27 July 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB). All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Arab Group (at the expert level) (on water issues)

Thursday, 22 July 2010, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

JUSCANZ Group (Second Committee experts) (on the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council)

Friday, 23 July 2010, from 8.45 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building).

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

Friday, 23 July 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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UNITAR Continued IT Education (CITE) Project Information Session

Friday, 23 July 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in *Conference Room A (NLB)*;

Friday, 13 August 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB); and

Friday, 27 August 2010, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, contact Mr. Evan Silberman, UNITAR (e-mail evan.silberman@unitar.org; tel. 1 (917) 512-9457).]

UNITAR Workshop on Environmental Negotiations and Climate Change Diplomacy

Thursday, 26 August 2010, from 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB); and

Friday, 27 August 2010, from 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[Open to all permanent and observer missions. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact Ms. Gabrielle Goudiaby, UNITAR (e-mail goudiaby@unitarny.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Announcements

Side events on the occasion of the High-level Plenary Meeting of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

Delegations and other interested parties are invited to submit their proposed side events for inclusion in the calendar of partnership events to be held in conjunction with the High-level Plenary Meeting. Please use the online form on the official Web site of the High-level Plenary Meeting <www.un.org/en/mdg/summit2010/events.shtml>. Information on where to submit requests for rooms is also available on the official Web site. For further information, please send an e-mail to hlpmevents@un.org. The tentative list of side events is now available on the official Web site.

General Assembly

Seating protocol for the sixty-fifth session

On Friday, 11 June 2010, the Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management drew from among the Member States the name of Guinea to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-fifth session. Consequently, the delegation of Guinea will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their

statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.shtml> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>. All comments and suggestions about the daily *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 19 July 2010

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2010

General segment

40th meeting

Joint special event of the Economic and Social Council and the Peacebuilding Commission on "Millennium Development Goals in countries emerging from conflict"

Welcoming remarks were made by the Co-Chairs: H.E. Mr. Hamidon Ali (Malaysia), President of the Economic and Social Council, and H.E. Mr. Peter Wittig (Germany) the Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission.

The Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations addressed the meeting.

Presentations were made by H.E. Mr. Amara Konneh, Minister of Planning and Economic Affairs, Liberia; Mr. Jordan Ryan, Assistant Secretary-General and Director, Bureau for Crisis Prevention and Recovery, United Nations Development Programme; Ms. Sarah Cliffe, Special Representative and Director, *World Development Report on Conflict, Security and Development*, World Bank; and Ms. Sakiko Fukuda-Parr, Professor of International Affairs, The New School.

Following the presentations, an interactive dialogue ensued, in which statements were made by the representatives of Denmark, Canada, Chile, Nepal, Brazil, Bangladesh, Australia, Ghana and Indonesia.

A statement was made by the observer for the European Union.

A statement was also made by a representative of the World Food Programme, New York Office.

The panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by delegations.

African countries emerging from conflict [7 (f)]

The Council began its consideration of the sub-item.

A briefing was made by the Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission.

A statement was made by the representative of Chile.

The Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission responded to comments made and questions posed by the representative of Chile.

Oral decision

The Vice-President, H.E. Mr. Somduth Soborun (Mauritius), read out an oral draft decision under agenda 7 (f), entitled "African countries emerging from conflict".

The Council adopted the oral draft decision.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 7 (f).

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Secretary.

A statement was made by the President.

Tuesday, 20 July 2010

Security Council

6362nd meeting

Peace and Security in Africa

Report of the Secretary-General on Eritrea (S/2010/327)

Letter dated 12 July 2010 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/372)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Djibouti, Eritrea and Somalia, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. B. Lynn Pascoe, Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Pascoe.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Eritrea and Djibouti.

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2010

General segment

41st meeting

Implementation of and follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits: review and coordination of the implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2001-2010 [6 (b)]

Introduction of draft resolution E/2010/L.20

The Council resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

The observer for Yemen introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations [9]

Regional cooperation [10]

Economic and social repercussions of the Israeli occupation on the living conditions of the Palestinian people in the occupied Palestinian territory, including East Jerusalem, and the Arab population in the occupied Syrian Golan [11]

The Council began its consideration of the items.

An introductory statement was made by the representative of Saint Lucia, in his capacity as Chair of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

An introductory statement was made by the representative of the Regional Commissions New York Office.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and Ukraine, and by the observers for Indonesia, Belarus, Cuba, Israel, the Syrian Arab Republic and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

A statement was also made by the observer for Palestine.

A statement was made by the observer for Palestine in the exercise of the right of reply.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations [9]

Introduction of draft resolution E/2010/L.22

The representative of Saint Lucia introduced the draft resolution, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document.

Grenada, Timor-Leste, Saint Kitts and Nevis and Venezuela (the Bolivarian Republic of) joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

Panel discussion on "Opportunities for small island developing States"

The panel discussion was chaired by the Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Somduth Soborun (Mauritius), who made introductory remarks.

Presentations were made by the following panellists: Professor Anthony Clayton, Alcan Professor of Caribbean Sustainable Development, Institute for Sustainable Development, University of the West Indies; Dr. Vasantha Chase, Director, Chase Consulting Ltd.; and

Mr. Pierre Encontre, Chief, Division for Africa, Least Developed Countries and Special Programmes, United Nations Conference on Trade and Development.

The panellists responded to comments made and questions posed by the representative of Saint Lucia and the observers for Grenada, Fiji, Solomon Islands, Cuba and Maldives, as well as by the observer for the European Union.

42nd meeting

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [1]

Elections

International Narcotics Control Board

The Council was informed that the election for one member to the International Narcotics Control Board was postponed until Thursday, 22 July, at 3 p.m.

Commission on Population and Development

The Council was informed that Portugal and the United States were resigning their seats on the Commission on Population and Development effective on the date of election. The Council then elected the United States to complete Portugal's term of office, beginning immediately and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-eighth session in 2015, and Portugal to complete the United States' four-year term of office, beginning at the first meeting of the Commission's forty-fifth session in 2011 and expiring at the close of the Commission's forty-eighth session in 2015.

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

The Council elected Chile and Grenada, by acclamation, for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2011, and decided to further postpone the election of three members from Western European and other States for the same term of office.

The Council was also reminded of four outstanding vacancies from Western European and other States, two terms of office expiring on 31 December 2011 and two terms expiring on 31 December 2012.

Appointment

Committee for Development Policy

The Council appointed Mr. Victor Polterovich (Russian Federation) to the Committee for a term beginning on the date of appointment and expiring on 31 December 2012, to replace Mr. Vladimir Popov (Russian Federation), who had resigned his seat.

Regional cooperation [10]

The Council resumed its consideration of the item.

Action on recommendations contained in Chapter I of document E/2010/15/Add.1

Draft resolution contained in Section A

The Council adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolutions contained in Section B

First draft resolution

A statement of programme budget implications relating to the first and second draft resolutions was read out by the Secretary.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) and Australia.

The Council decided to postpone action on the draft resolution.

Second draft resolution

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada and Belgium (on behalf of the European Union).

The Council decided to postpone action on the draft resolution.

Third draft resolution

The Council adopted the draft resolution.

Coordination, programme and other questions: mainstreaming a gender perspective into all policies and programmes in the United Nations system [7 (

Economic and environmental questions: Women and development [13 (

Social and human rights questions: Advancement of women [14 (

The Council began its joint consideration of the sub-items.

The Assistant Secretary-General and Special Adviser on Gender Issues and Advancement of Women made an introductory statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union and associated countries), Iraq, the United States, Guatemala, Ukraine, the Russian Federation, the Republic of Korea and Chile, and by the observer for Belarus

The Council thus concluded its general discussion of sub-items 7 (e), 13 (k) and 14 (a

Social and human rights questions: Advancement of women [14 (

Action on recommendations contained in chapter I of the report of the Commissio on the Status of Women (E/2010/27)

Draft decision contained in Section A

The Council adopted the draft decision.

Draft resolution contained in Section B

The representative of the United States made a statement.

The Council adopted the draft resolution, by a recorded vote of 24 to 3, with 15 abstentions.

Before the vote, statements were made by the observers for Israel and Palestine; and after the vote, a statement was made by the representative of Australia.

Draft decision contained in Section C

Statements were made by the representatives of Peru and Chile.

The Council adopted the draft decision.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of the recommendations contained in th report of the Commission on the Status of Women.

Action on draft resolution E/2010/L.21

The Council had before it a draft resolution submitted by the President, H.E. Mr. Hamid Ali (Malaysia).

The Council adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representative of Chile and by the observer for the Dominican Republic.

The Council thus concluded its consideration of sub-items 13 (k) and 14 (a).

Organization of work

The President made a statement.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Tuesday, 20 July 2010

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3067th meeting

Reservations to treaties [2]

The Commission continued its consideration of addenda 1 and 2 to the Special Rapporteur's fifteenth report on the topic (A/CN.4/624/Add.1 and A/CN.4/624/Add.2). The Special Rapporteur summarized the debate on the addenda 1 and 2 to his fifteenth report. The Commission referred draft guidelines 3.3.3, 3.3.4, 4.5.1, 4.5.2, 4.5.3, 4.5.4, 4.6, 4.7, 4.7.1, 4.7.2 and 4.7.3 to the Drafting Committee.

Protection of persons in the event of disasters [7]

On behalf of the Chair of the Drafting Committee, Mr. Marcelo Vázquez-Bermúdez, introduced the report of the Drafting Committee on protection of persons in the event of disasters (A/CN.4/L.776). The Commission took note of the Drafting Committee's report.

Cooperation with other bodies [13]

The Director of Legal Advice and Public International Law of the Council of Europe, Mr. Manuel Lezertua, and the Chair of the Committee of Legal Advisers on Public International Law (CAHDI), Mr. Rolf Einar Fife, addressed the Commission. An exchange of views followed.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Safety of United Nations and Associated Personnel. New York, 8 December 2005

Accession: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (20 July 2010)[1]

Entry into force: 19 August 2010, in accordance with article VI (1) of the Protocol

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment. New York, 18 December 2002

Ratification: Ecuador (20 July 2010)[1]

Ratification: Togo (20 July 2010)[1]

United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Ratification: San Marino (20 July 2010)[1]

Protocol to Prevent, Suppress and Punish Trafficking in Persons, Especially Women and Children, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Ratification: San Marino (20 July 2010)[1]

Protocol against the Smuggling of Migrants by Land, Sea and Air, supplementing the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Ratification: San Marino (20 July 2010)[1]

Amendment to Annex B of the Kyoto Protocol to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change. Nairobi, 17 November 2006

Acceptance: China (16 July 2010)[1]

International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism. New York, 13 April 2005

Accession: Saint Vincent and the Grenadines (8 July 2010)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled "2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation", provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year's event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and

safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

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Eastern European States:
Belarus
H.E. Mr. Andrei Dapkiunas

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